Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 27 Aug 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 28 Aug 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 26 Aug 2023 at 15:26 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Generally high confidence over the coming days, lower for detail of rain on Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 27 Aug 2023: Cloudy start with some outbreaks of rain, sunshine and showers later.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 27 Aug 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Light rain	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
30%	30%	40%	30%	60%	40%	30%	20%

Forecast for Sunday 27 Aug 2023

Weather: Some clear or sunny spells in the east at first but cloud pushing across from the west bringing patchy outbreaks of light rain during the morning. Some sunny spells and scattered showers during the afternoon. Mainly dry but cloud lingering during the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low Cloud and visibility: Few or scattered cloud, base 700-800m at first and again during the late evening. Visibility generally good, slight reductions in rain or showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	12/14 NW	14/17 NW	14/17 N	10/14 NW	7/11 N	10/14 NW	8/12 N	7/10 W	12/17 W
900	7/9 NW	8/11 NW	7/10 N	7/10 NW	7/10 N	8/12 NW	6/9 N	6/8 W	10/14 W
600	3/6 NW	4/8 NW	4/7 W	5/9 NW	5/9 N	6/10 N	4/7 NW	3/6 W	6/12 W
300	3/9 NW	2/7 NW	2/6 NW	4/8 NW	6/12 NW	5/10 NE	4/8 E	3/6 NW	4/9 W
Glen	2/6 NW	3/7 W	2/5 W	4/9 NW	5/10 NW	5/10 NE	3/7 E	2/4 NW	3/7 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	6/3	6/2	6/2	6/3	7/5	8/6	8/5	6/4	6/3
900	8/6	7/5	7/5	8/6	9/8	10/8	10/8	8/7	8/5
600	9/9	9/8	9/8	10/9	12/11	12/12	12/11	10/10	10/8
300	10/10	10/10	10/10	13/12	15/14	15/14	14/13	12/12	11/11
Glen	10/10	10/9	10/10	14/14	16/15	16/15	14/14	12/12	12/11
Freezing Level*	2000m	2000m	2100m	2100m	2100m	2200m	2200m	2100m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add.

Forecast for Monday 28 Aug 2023
Weather: Patchy low cloud and the odd spot of light rain pushing southeastwards across the region through the early hours. Clear or sunny skies for a time, then patchy cloud and sunny spells through the rest of the day. Some low cloud and patchy light rain reaching western parts later in the night.

Maximum wind: Westerly 10-15 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80-90%

Low Cloud and visibility: Few or scattered low cloud, base 700-800m during the early hours clearing southeastwards. Visibility generally good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 11 rising to plus 18 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 6 rising to plus 10 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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